

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—San Francisco and vicinity. Showers to-night, fair Thursday; fresh west wind. Northern California: Showers in N. portion, fair in south portion tonight. Thursday generally fair, warmer in S. portion tonight; fresh west wind.

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## WE STAND FOR AN OPEN DOOR.

Secretary Hay's Reply to Anglo-German Agreement is Given Out.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The State Department today made public the British-German agreement respecting the maintenance of the "open door" and territorial integrity of China with the news of the United States Government sent in duplicate to each of the principals to the agreement.

Mr. Hay to Lord Pauncefote

Department of State, Washington, D. C., Oct. 29, 1900.

Excellent—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your note of the 23d of October, enclosing the text of an agreement between Great Britain and Germany relating to affairs in China, which was signed in London on the 16th inst. by the Marquis of Salisbury and the German Ambassador on behalf of their respective governments and inviting the acceptance by the United States of the principles recorded in that agreement.

These principles are: 1. It is a matter of joint and permanent national interest that the ports on the rivers and littorals of China should remain free and open to trade and to every legitimate form of economic activity for the nationals of all countries without distinction, and the two governments agree on their part to uphold the same for all Chinese territory so far as they can exercise influence.

2. Her Britannic Majesty's government and the Imperial German government will not on their part make use of the present complication to obtain for themselves any territorial advantage in Chinese dominions and will direct their policy toward maintaining undiminished the territorial condition of the Chinese empire.

The United States have heretofore made known their adoption of both of these principles. During the last year this government invited the powers interested in China to join in an expression of views and purposes in the direction of impartial trade with that country and received satisfactory assurances to that effect from all of them.

When the recent troubles were at their height this government on the 3d of July once more made an announcement of its policy regarding the impartial trade and the integrity of the Chinese empire, and had the gratification of learning that all the powers held similar views. And since that time the most gratifying harmony has existed among all the nations concerned as to the ends to be pursued, and that has been little divergence of opinion as to the details of the course to be followed.

It is therefore with much satisfaction that the President directs me to inform you of the full sympathy of this Government with those of her Britannic Majesty and the German Emperor in the principles set forth in the clauses of the agreement above cited.

The third clause of the agreement provides:

3. In case of another power making itself complications in China in order to obtain under any form whatever any territorial advantages, the two contracting parties reserve to themselves the right to come to a preliminary understanding as to the eventual steps to be taken for the protection of their own interests in China.

As this clause refers to a reciprocal agreement between the two high contracting powers, the Government of the United States does not regard itself as called upon to express an opinion in respect to it.

I have, etc. JOHN HAY.

A similar note mutatis mutandis was addressed on the same day by the Secretary of State to the Imperial German Charge d'Affaires.

## Count Castellane Is a High Roller and Spends Wife's Money.

PARIS, Oct. 31.—The civil tribunal has appointed George J. Gould trustee for the Countess of Castellane, his sister.

According to the pleadings in the case her husband, Count Roul de Castellane, spent 22,000,000 francs, or \$1,600,000, in four years, whereas his income from his wife's fortune is only 7,000,000 francs.

The action was the result of a suit brought by Mr. Gould against his sister. The court granted his request and appointed him trustee. The proceedings were conducted in secret session, only the bare decision being announced.

The Castellanes are now staying in the country together.

## CHURCHES HAVE UNITED IN SCOTLAND TOWNS.

EDINBURGH, Oct. 31.—The formal union of the Free and the United Presbyterian Church decided upon yesterday at the joint meeting here of the Free Church Assembly and the United Presbyterian Synod, was consummated today. The members marched from their respective halls to the Waverley Market and held the first meeting of the United Free Church of Scotland. Large crowds witnessed the procession. The Rev. Albert Robert Rainey, D. D., was chosen Moderator of the United Free Church.

The scene at Waverley Market was striking, though marred by rain. Some 3,000 ministers took part in the procession and dense crowds along the route cheered them repeatedly.

The hall where the uniting act was signed was draped with crimson and yellow and liberally bedecked with flags used by the Covenanters.

The Earl of Aberdeen, Dr. Farer, John Watson (Jan McLaren), and delegates from Canada, Australia, Jamaica, Africa, France and elsewhere participated.

The small minority which opposed the union met in a separate hall today and constituted themselves a Free Church Assembly.

## WARNING TO ALL LITTLE BOYS IN OAKLAND.

Willie Chaisen, a 6-year-old boy, tried to get at his mother's preserves last night. Now he is carrying his left arm in splints. Willie's home is at 22 Helen street. On the top shelves of the pantry his mother had put away the winter's supply of jams and jellies and sugar plums.

Willie yearned for the sweetmeats, but his mother forbade him sampling them. Last night he concluded that he had waited long enough. He placed his high chair on a candle box and began the ascent to the coveted fruit. He had reached the top and had been at a jar of blackberry jam long enough to get a good part of it smeared on his face, when there was a crash and Willie found himself in a heap on the pantry floor.

His arm was broken near the elbow. His mother took him to the Receiving Hospital, where Dr. Milton reduced the fracture.

Willie promised to obey his mother in future.

## STRAIN HARD ON ROOSEVELT

He Urges the Voters to Stamp Bryanism to Death.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 31.—Governor Roosevelt is feeling the strain of his continued talking much more today than at any time since he started the State tour. His chest is sore and his voice does not carry as well as it did. His train left Rochester at 5.30 and making several stops, is expected to get to Buffalo at 4 o'clock.

MINNAPOLIS, N. Y., Oct. 31.—The sun came out just after the Roosevelt special left Rochester, giving promise of a pleasant day. The first stop was made at Brockport. Here the Governor said:

"Mr. Bryan invokes the Declaration of Independence as applying to the Philippines. Now this country was acquired without the consent of Thomas Jefferson, and he ought to have applied the Declaration of Independence because he wrote it. We cannot afford to let Mr. Bryan's principles and the present Bryan Democracy continue a formidable danger to American political life. I appeal to you not merely to beat it, but to stamp it under foot so that no similar appeal will ever be made in our time. While we can afford to differ on questions of policy, we cannot afford as good Americans to differ on the underlying principles. The lack of which makes any party, whatever it is, a standing danger to the country."

At Holly it was raining. Nevertheless, the Governor spoke to a great crowd. He said:

"We do not want to cut in two the national honor by cutting in two the national debt. If Mr. Bryan's policies ever should be enacted into law they would be with an especial weight of whom he affects to be most interested."

Mr. Bryan speaks of polygamy in the South Islands and says it ought to be stopped. Why, his proposal is to establish a polygamy over those islands, and then four guarantees both slavery and polygamy in South."

The train reached Albion in a pouring rain. A crowd, however, listened to the Governor with attention. The Governor devoted most of his time to a discussion of prosperity.

ROOSEVELT'S READY WIT.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., Oct. 31.—At Medina, where his train stopped for twenty minutes, Governor Roosevelt stepped from his car to a temporary platform. The rain had ceased and the Governor took his full time in addressing the crowd. He devoted most of his speech to militarism and trusts.

While the Governor was talking a man said: "Governor I would like to have you explain the trust question."

"What about the coal employees in Pennsylvania?" asked another man.

"One at a time," said the Governor. "As to the coal employees in Pennsylvania, they have won a strike for an increase of wages. Do you think they would have won that strike four years ago?"

"No, no," shouted the crowd.

"Mr. Bryan," continued the Governor, "says he is the champion of the poor. I think it is a mighty poor man of whom Mr. Bryan is champion. Mr. Bryan says trusts flourish more than they did four years ago. He is quite right. Everything flourishes more than four years ago. A good year for crops is a good year for weeds. Flax out the weeds but don't plow under the crop. Here in this city your mechanics are all employed. Don't try to help the workmen by shutting up the factories."

M'KINLEY'S VISITORS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. CANTON, Ohio, Oct. 31.—When the President and Mrs. McKinley returned from their regular morning drive the porch was filled with people waiting to see them. Among the early arrivals was John W. Yeates, Republican candidate for Governor of Kentucky. He had an extended talk with the President. Samuel W. Taylor of Urbana, former Secretary of State of Ohio, now Consul at Glasgow, home on leave of absence, also had a conference.

STATE BAPTISTS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SANTA ROSA, Oct. 31.—This morning's session of the Baptist State Convention was devoted principally to the work of the Woman's Baptist Home Missionary Society. Bible study was conducted by Rev. W. C. Jenkins. Committees were appointed for the ensuing year and the reports of the different officers were read. Much interest is being taken in the work of the convention.

TERRIBLY BURNED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. PITTSBURGH, Oct. 31.—By the explosion of an alcohol vat at the Homestead Steel Works this morning three workmen, Andrew Dolnik, Michael Dondor, and John Harnett, were terribly burned. The first two, it is thought, will die. The explosion was caused by alcohol coming in contact with natural gas.

## TWO TOWNS DESTROYED.

Venezuelan Cities are Wiped Out and Many Lives Lost.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. CARACAS, Venezuela, Oct. 31.—Further details regarding the earthquake of Monday last show that San Carlos and Charallano were entirely destroyed.

An inlet situated at the mouth of the Never river has disappeared. At Tacarigua, Brochico and Curipe the damage done was considerable.

There are many dead and injured. Railroad and telephonic service between Caranaro and Rio Chico is interrupted. Railroad service between Lagunera and Caracas was resumed this morning.

## ENGAGEMENT IS BROKEN.

Miss Mollie Davis, of 155 Sacramento street, San Francisco, this afternoon telephoned to THE TRIBUNE office that her engagement with D. Hamyn, the young business man of this city, was broken yesterday.

## NEW PRESIDENT FOR S. P. RAILROAD.

Directors of Southern Pacific to Elect Hays at Meeting Friday.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The Executive Committee of the Southern Pacific Company was in session today, but it was said that only routine business was considered.

It was said that the board of directors will meet on Friday to elect Chas. M. Hays to the presidency.

## RAILROAD FUNDS ARE DISTRIBUTED.

Figures That Will Be Interesting to the Local Trainmen.

ST. PAUL, Oct. 31.—Judge Sanborn made an order today for the discharge of the receivers of the Union Pacific Railway Company as receivers of the hospital fund on their paying into the treasury of the company the sum of \$100,000, which has not been distributed and placing their report on file for the time prescribed by the rules of the court. The amount of money for that fund to those who contributed to the hospital fund of the railway was \$1,525,719. The number of allowed claims was 17,252. Allowed claims to the amount of \$7,550,250 have not been presented to the receivers for payment, and that amount of money was ordered by the judge to be deposited in the registry of the court to be paid to the claimants, as they appear, by the clerk of the court at Omaha. No fees or allowances were asked by the receivers, their counsel or the special paymaster for the services of administering and distributing this fund and none was allowed, but the entire fund was distributed to the contributors after deducting the actual necessary expenses of clerks and printing. No objection was made to the report of the receivers and they were commended by the court. About 100 odd claims have not been presented.

## JAPAN HAS AGREED

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Japanese Minister here, Kato Takashi, informed a representative of the Associated Press today that he delivered a note to Lord Salisbury in which Japan unconditionally assents to the Anglo-German agreement in China.

## A LINER AGROUND.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. Glasgow, Oct. 31.—The Anchor line steamer Anchora from New York October 20th for this port is aground in the Clyde. She is expected to float tonight.

## FIREMAN JUMPED FROM ENGINE TO HIS DEATH.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 31.—George W. Hand, a fireman on the Oregon express, lost his life at an early hour this morning at Proberta, Tehama county. Hand was on the southbound express.

A freight train had gone upon the siding at Proberta in order to allow the express to pass. In going upon the switch the freight train pushed several cars ahead of it. The cars were pushed too far, as they projected upon the main track, and as the express train came along it struck them in a planing way.

Hand felt the jar and evidently believing that a serious accident was about to happen jumped from the cab of the engine. The train was stopped and the trainmen went back to look for Hand. He was so seriously hurt by the fall that he died in a short time after the accident.

## REMARKABLE LAW SUIT.

Twenty-five Citizens are Sued for Heavy Damages.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. FORTH WORTH, Tex., Oct. 31.—Suit for \$250,000 has been filed against twenty-five of the most prominent citizens of Texas by Joel Blair of Bill County.

The petition alleges that the defendants conspired to gain possession of his right in valuable property and caused him to be placed in an asylum for two years.

## NEW MINISTER FOR ENGLISH PEOPLE.

Marquis of Lansdowne's Appointment Not Welcomed by the Public.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Marquis of Lansdowne's elevation to the Foreign Secretaryship, according to the announcements in the newspapers this morning, has, figuratively speaking, taken the country's breath away. It was as unexpected as it was unwelcome. Even the staunchest ministerial mouthpieces among the African newspapers openly denounce it. The Globe declares the appointment only shows Lord Salisbury is completely out of touch with the feelings and wishes of the electorate and the Conservative party, while the Liberal Westminster Gazette, cracking over the disfigurement of the Ministerial newspapers which have been so loudly demanding the retirement of Lord Lansdowne, expresses relief at the fact that Joseph Chamberlain was not given the post, saying:

"The latter's appointment would have filled thoughtful people with dismay, and it is something to have escaped this serious danger."

Lord Salisbury apparently arranged matters with the Queen at Balmoral a week ago. His own inclination was to resign the Premiership and devote himself exclusively to the Foreign Office. He wrote Her Majesty to this effect, but she declined to accept the suggestion. Lord Salisbury, therefore, went to Balmoral to discuss the question, with the result that the Queen carried her point.

Public anxiety is to some extent relieved by the fact that Salisbury's experience will still be available to direct the broad lines of policy of the prospective Foreign Minister.

## AN UMPIRE QUILTS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—Hugh Smith, the baseball umpire, has tendered his resignation to President Moran of the California Baseball League. Smith was accused of giving the San Francisco team the worst of it in his decisions in last Sunday's game between the locals and the Oakland nine. Manager Harris of the local team being the accuser.

## BOERS WILL NOT SURRENDER ARMS.

Botha Admits Defeat But Says He Must Fight On to the End.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, Oct. 31.—A stated dispatch from Pretoria tells of the failure of British negotiations with General Botha for the surrender of the Boers. Botha refused General Paquet's flag of truce, contending and admitted his defeat, but said it was impossible to treat for surrender as long as any Boers wished to continue the war.

President Kruger was irrevocable. He refused even to see the bearer of a flag of truce.

## THE AMERICAN WINS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, Oct. 31.—T. F. Kean, the American runner, defeated P. C. Predd, English, in a 500-yard race at Northampton today for a purse of £100. Kean, who had the best of the start, won by two yards. Time, 25.35 seconds.

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"After due deliberation and an exchange of views, a ballot was taken with the result of eight for conviction and four for acquittal, that numerous other ballots were taken, the next to the last resulting in nine for conviction and three for acquittal; that we, the jurors who voted for acquittal, because we were not satisfied that the people had clearly made out the case against the defendant, and that each of us are not now satisfied of defendant's guilt."

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## AN ATTEMPT TO CHEAT THE GALLOWES.

A Convicted Murderer Tries to Smother Himself in His Cell.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. MARYSVILLE, Ohio, Oct. 31.—Edward H. Ferrell, who last night was found guilty of murder in the first degree, attempted suicide in the after-part of the night by smothering himself to death. He wrapped the bed clothing tightly about his head and turned on his face. When his purpose was discovered the guards pulled the clothes off while Ferrell fought to prevent their removal.

Judge Methuen will hear arguments for a new trial Friday.

The verdict was broken to the prisoner's mother this morning. She collapsed and a physician had to be summoned.

Miss Costlow, to whom Ferrell was engaged to be married at the time he murdered Latta, was prostrated.

## HANNA IN INDIANA.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 31.—Senator Hanna, chairman of the Republican National Committee, arrived from Chicago on a special train today and addressed a large crowd.

The Senator was escorted from the station to the speakers' stand by a regiment of Fourth Riders. He spoke about fifty minutes. Most of the factories of the city were closed for an hour to enable the employees to hear Senator Hanna. At 11:20 he left for Goshen.

## A COSTLY FIRE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SHELBY, Neb., Oct. 31.—Fire set by safe blowers in the postoffice block, at this place, burned a block of property this morning causing a loss of \$20,000. The losses included the open house block. The burglars secured nothing.

## Fifth Ward Club.

The Fifth Ward Republican Club will hold a meeting tonight in Grand Army Hall, 413 Thirteenth street. Local Republican candidates will speak.

## Earl of Darnley Dead.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, Oct. 31.—Edward Stuart High, seventh Earl of Darnley is dead. He was born in 1851.

## Sued for a Divorce.

Amelia J. Benson has sued Lois P. Benson for a divorce on the grounds of cruelty.

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## Amusements.

Dewey—"Tale of Two Cities."  
Columbia—"Oliver Goldsmith."  
California—"For Her Sake."  
California—"Piano Recital, Wednesday, October 31st."  
Alcazar—"Northern Lights."  
Tivoli—"Aida."  
Orpheum—"Vaudeville."  
Grand Opera House—"Secret Service."  
Alhambra—"King of the Opium Ring."

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1900.

Cleveland says that he is still for sound money. That proves that he is not for sound Bryanism.

John D. Rockefeller is said to be always complaining about his stomach. This is one instance where he gives the public some inside facts.

China offers to pay \$200,000,000 indemnity. No wonder the Democrats are frantically endeavoring to get in a position where they will know the combination on the Treasury vault.

Venezuela has been experiencing an earthquake. As fully six months have elapsed since they had their last revolution down that way, nature evidently decided to give them an old-fashioned shake-up just to keep them in condition.

Because the Republican press is rubbing it into the Bryans by quoting the 5 to 1 odds on McKinley, with no takers, the Democrats have resorted to the excuse that betting indicates nothing. How they headed up the news in large type, though, the day the odds momentarily dropped to 3 to 1 and tried to make a big card out of it. If the betting were in Bryan's favor instead of against him everyone knows that they would be shouting the fact from the housetops as one of the surest signs of success.

Nobody knows the political inwardness of a man better than those who have served with him in a legislative body, and in view of this the following statement by ex-Congressman Page of Rhode Island is highly entertaining. "I know Bryan," says Mr. Page. "That's why I won't vote for him. I am just as good a Democrat as I ever was, but Bryan is no Democrat. I was with him in Congress. I knew him there and I watched then all the Populist tricks he had in him against Bryan because I do not believe in denouncing the Supreme Court, because I believe in upholding the Supreme Court."

## WHERE THE FARMERS STAND.

The fruitgrowers and farmers of this State are not having their eyes blinded by Bryan's dust on the trust evil. They realize that under stable monetary conditions and a continuance of the present public confidence that there will be a market for all they produce at good prices. President Bond, of the California Cured Fruit Association who is one of the best informed men in the State, announces that he is for McKinley, not on account of political reasons, but from purely a business standpoint. He says: "I do not desire to mix politics with business, but in this instance it is inevitable and cannot be avoided if we are to consider our own welfare. I am positive that if Bryan is elected the effect will be such on the market as to compel the prune and dried fruit growers to carry on a large surplus. If, on the other hand, McKinley is re-elected, we will sell every pound of cured fruit at good prices, for the reason that conditions will continue undisturbed and there will not be a feeling of apprehension and distrust as to the problematical outcome of the policy of the government as would result in the event of his defeat."

This is the position exactly of every intelligent farmer, and the fruit growers who are more than content with the conditions which have resulted from the wise and conservative administration of President McKinley are not foolishly enough to tempt fate by casting aside a confirmation of the present prosperous regime in order to permit Bryan to try his experimental ideas of government.

## THE "TEMPLE OF FAME."

There is trouble brewing over the "Temple of Fame" attachment to the New York University. Fifty immortals have been chosen and their names are to be cut into as many marble slabs unless the program is changed under pressure of popular influence, which it seems has other idols than some of those which have been chosen. No one objects to Washington and Lincoln, of course. They will always remain as the ideals of the young and the old as long as American history is read, but a squabble has arisen over those who occupy a secondary place in public estimation and there is a rising disposition to ridicule the proposition. Ridicule is a bad weapon, and when it is focused on something that is above the commonplace the object of its rays is sure to wilt and wither.

There is no doubt that the "Temple of Fame" was instituted with the highest motives and sincerest intentions, but at the same time it is rather out of place under a Democratic form of government, where the names and deeds of our great ones are better perpetuated in history than they can ever be on a marble tablet which bears more resemblance to a tombstone than to evidence of immortality. Some people are addicted to fads of this character, but the great mass of the American people regard such things as mimicry of the conditions prevailing under royalty, and we are not given to Westminster Abbey as yet. It is barely possible that in a century from now we may have cooled down and will then take such innovations as a matter of course, but at the present time we are prone to content ourselves with reverting to the pages of history to review the memory of our departed great ones, and under such conditions the New York "Temple of Fame" is rather apt to receive more ridicule than commendation.

## THE PASSING OF POPULISM.

The absence of the Populists from notice in this campaign is one of its marked features. Some eight years ago one would have thought by the hullabaloo they were making that the long-whiskered organization soon would possess the earth and the fulness thereof, and now in Kansas, where the party grew to power, its leading paper has come out for McKinley, while in Nebraska nothing is left of it but Bryan, and here in California not so much as that. Populism, like the alfalfa craze and the blue grass fever, has run its course and gone the way of other rural fads.

An interesting volume might be written on the rise, development and decay of ephemeral political parties in America, and in such a work, those who have been Populists may be amazed to know, they would occupy only a small chapter, in itself by no means the most attractive part of the book. For there have been many others, and those who will take the trouble to delve into California's political history will find that this State has had its share of them all since 1850. Of course the anti-Masonic movement that brought Thurlow Weed into prominence in New York happened before this State's time, but we caught the Know-Nothing movement at its flood, and many do not know that over one-third of the votes of California in 1876 were cast for Millard Fillmore's electors on the so-called American ticket. But that movement was already dying; for in 1855, the Know-Nothings had virtually elected their candidate for Governor, J. Neely Johnson, by 51,157 votes to John Bigler's 46,220, while a year later Fillmore's vote was 35,167 out of 110,221 (of which Fremont received 20,691) and in 1867 Bowie, the Know-Nothing candidate for Governor, received only 10,451 votes out of 93,643. The schism in the Democratic party before the war and the condition of public affairs operated to the discouragement of third parties for years. So we went along merrily until the "Dolly Varden" movement came into being. The girls were called dresses in those days, the pattern of which was covered with spots like a pie-bald horse. This was called "Dolly Varden." Its var-colored character suggested the slang name for the party, in which were gathered the leading lights of all organizations. Its life was brief, however, and it went the way of the "Dolly Varden" party, as the Greenback party was called, that following it in the early 80's, rising, however, to the dignity of 23,752 votes out of 122,583 before it died. Then we had the Workingman's Party, that elected Citrus Barbour to Congress, made L. S. Kallach Mayor of San Francisco, and polled 44,182 votes out of 169,233 in 1875, when George C. Perkins was elected Governor. At the next election it never was heard of, but in 1888 the American party made its appearance just long enough to cause the election of Bartlett for Governor by enticing away votes that naturally would have gone to John F. Swift, and to make J. W. Waterman Lieutenant-Governor by defeating M. F. Tarpey, the Democratic candidate. The Populists arose to prominence in the very next four years, and in 1892 elected nine members of the Assembly, besides several sheriffs and Supervisors in various counties. In the Legislature they just missed capturing the balance of power. Their ultimate object was to elect a United States Senator, but this they failed to accomplish. They failed to carry the State for Bryan, and they could elect neither James G. Maguire nor T. W. H. Shanahan to be Governor, and now who ever hears of a Populist?

The fact is that if a disappointed American can find a few companions to support his movement he organizes a new party. It may prove a trifle and last for a year or so, but ultimately it follows the inevitable course of such ephemera, and, like the will-o'-the-wisp, disappears, leaving its followers in the bog, whence they make their way back to the old parties as best and as fast as they can.

## LET SAN FRANCISCO PAY HER TEACHERS.

Every elector should vote "Yes" on Senate constitutional amendment No. 17, the seventh on the ticket, next Tuesday. This amendment provides that the city and county of San Francisco may at any time pay the salaries of its teachers, due for services rendered in November and December, 1898. San Francisco owes the money asked for to her teachers, and under the law there is no way in which the debt can be paid except by the adoption of a constitutional amendment.

The teachers set forth several good reasons why this amendment should be adopted. First—The failure to pay these salaries was a great injustice to the teachers and a serious reflection on the good name of the city.

Second—San Francisco pays the entire tax on the State at large pays none of it.

Third—The amendment permits, but does not compel, the San Francisco Supervisors to pay these claims.

Fourth—It has been legally determined that the only means of paying this debt to the teachers is by the adoption of this amendment by the State at large.

There is no more deserving class in the community than the school teachers. Their work is of incalculable importance and demands a long and arduous training for its successful accomplishment. Most of them are women whose earnings go to the maintenance of those dependent on them for support, and as they have no votes there is all the more reason why every good citizen should make it his business to see that they are not wronged in any way. Their cause appeals not merely to charity but to justice. They earn their salaries by hard and trying work and it would be a reproach to California if the amendment in question is beaten.

The Foreign Office announces that Kruger will travel abroad during his proposed trip to the European capitals. How is he going to manage that and still keep those famous whiskers? Even a blind man would know him by them.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Love can neither be bought nor sold.

An indolent man is a dead one who can't be buried.

He who has lost all confidence can lose nothing more.

Ceremonies may differ, but true politeness is ever the same.

An old bachelor says a rich and pretty widow never comes a-miles.

A locomotive has a headlight and a blond woman has a light head.

Even in the "fatherland" they invariably speak the "mother tongue."

The fool politician fights friction; the wise one "soft soap" it.

The millionaire who dresses as well as his clerk is more or less eccentric.

It is as easy for you to please everybody as it is for everybody to please you.

The less a man knows about politics the more angry he gets in a political argument.

Lots of men lose the thousands they have gained because of an insatiable pursuit after another hundred.

The purchaser who is unable to distinguish imitation diamonds from the real thing may get stuck on paste.

When a hold-up man aims a revolver at the head of his victim the latter is apt to see the point of the argument.

Every man should know something of law, and if he knows enough to keep out of it he is a pretty good lawyer.

KAHN'S  
Birthday Celebration

Twenty-two years old this week—seven years in the new store. They say folks change every seven years, so we'll start the new epoch with a Celebration Sale. It's a radical change from the past method of selling—a change for the better for you, for it means better goods at less cost—a change for the better for us, for it means more trade, more friends and a greater output. Here's the List

## THE SALE STARTS TOMORROW

## UNDERMUSLINS

LADIES' GOWNS—neck, square cut yoke of embroidery insertion, edging finish on neck and sleeves—a dollar leader. Sale Price 83c

LADIES' SKIRTS, with deep cambric ruffle of five fine tucks—extra quality muslin. Sale Price 66c

Ladies' Tennis Flannel GOWNS, square yoke, pink, blue and cream striped, lace trimmed collar—six bit quality. Sale Price 55c

Ladies' Tennis Flannel GOWNS, square yoke, assorted colorings—six bit garments. Sale Price 57c

KIMONOS—Flannellette—pink, blue, tans, checks and stripes—rolling collars and bias fold down the front—cord and tassels to match—comfortable and popular one seventy-five KIMONA. Sale Price 1.29

FLANNELLETTE WAISTS—polka dot, pink, blue red cadet and lavender—front and back tucked—the best dollar waist in town today. Sale Price 83c

## CLOAK DEPARTMENT SPECIALS

GOLF CAPS—plaid back, flounced all round yoke and ripple—a cape considered a bargain at seven dollars. See Windows. Sale Price 4.98

RAINY-DAY SUITS—plaid black—a five dollar leader. See Window. Sale Price 3.98

BLACK DRESS SKIRTS—with stitched satin folds—inverted pleats in back—lined. Sale Price 2.48

RAINY-DAY SKIRTS—A fifteen dollar quality—plaid back—finely tailored. Sale Price 11.98

All our NOVELTY JACKETS—in tan, navy, black and cashmere—none worth less than fifteen dollars. Sale Price 11.98

## TAILOR-MADE SUITS

All our new and fashionable tailor-made garments—marked Fifteen Dollars. Sale Price 11.98

## NOTTINGHAM LACE TIDIES

A splendid imitation of the Gulpure Work—importer paid more than we will retail them for, there are two kinds.

6x6 inches.....3c 18x18 inches.....12 1/2c  
9x9 inches.....5c 14x22 inches.....12 1/2c  
12x12 inches.....9c 24x36 inches.....29c  
5x13 inches.....6 1/2c

9x9 inches.....4c 8x13 inches.....5c  
12x12 inches.....7 1/2c 15x23 inches.....12 1/2c  
15x18 inches.....12 1/2c 18x27 inches.....20c  
23x36 inches.....24c See Window.

## HEMSTITCHED SHEETS

Hemstitched Sheets, Sixty, worth 85c. Sale Price 68c

Hemstitched Pillow Cases, 5x13 1/2, worth 55c. Sale Price 26 1/2c

## FLANNELS

480 yds. Dark Navy Blue Flannel, 37 in. wide, 10 oz. weight, at a sacrifice—value half dollar. Sale Price 25c yd

264 pair, eleven styles, white and cream, all 3 1/2 yards long, many worth \$1.50, none worth less than \$2.00. See Window. Sale Price \$1.39

## GLOVES

Ladies' Japanese Mocha Gloves—"2 clasp"—fitted at our counter—colors, tans, browns, greys—sold by glove stores at a dollar. Sale Price 69c

LADIES' STOCK COLLARS.

Black Velvet trimmed with Gold Braid—curved shape—the latest in stocks. Sale Price 19c

## MILLINERS' CONTRIBUTION TO ANNIVERSARY SALE

We excel any house in Oakland for Trimmed Ready-to-Wear Hats.

THE RAMSAY—A very becoming hat for a miss—Straight trimmed with a short back; rim and crown trimmed in satin cord; on the left side it is finished with two large CHOU rosettes of taffeta; caught in the center with a chenille pom-pom. Sale Price \$3.50

THE COACHING—A pretty shape drooping front and back; soft effect of velvet on rim; crushed band of velvet around crown—finished at left side with a fancy wing or quill. Sale Price \$3.75

THE RIKKI RIKKI T WALKER—A pretty stitched walking hat, trimmed in velvet and fancy wing or pom-pom. Sale Price \$3.00

THE LA MILITAIRE—A very becoming walking hat in grey and castor, crushed band of velvet around crown—rim on left side is caught up tight to crown, with a large CHOU of panne polka-dot velvet. Sale Price \$3.50

LADIES' TRIMMED HATS, we take the lead. On Saturday we will be showing an elegant line of Colored and Black Trimmed Hats, such as Oakland has never seen before—including the Pompadour Turban, Mushroom and the Melba Dress Hats. Prices from \$5.00 to \$10.00

## HAIR PINS

300 boxes of Italian Horn Hair Pins—12 in a box—all over price 15c. Sale Price 11c

## LADIES' HOSE

N. Y. Z. Hermsdorf dye—fast black—3 pair for a dollar is usual price. See window. Sale price 21c

## LADIES' FANCY HOSE

A lot of 120 pairs of fancy Hose—some half and half, others all fancy—imported as a 3 for a dollar Hose. See window. Sale Price 25c

## UNDREWEAR

Children's Natural Gray Wool Mixed Combination Suits—warm garment—well finished—long sleeves, all sizes. See windows. Sale Price 19c

## LADIES' VESTS AND PANTS

60 per cent wool—finished seams—pearl buttons—drawers with French band—an all-the-year round dollar garment. See window. Sale Price 83c

## CHILDREN'S COATS

Here is an UNUSUAL Special—Children's Coats, Fall Style of 1900-01, sizes from 4 to 10 years, broadcloth, trimmed with silk braid—many designs—the four dollar kind. Sale Price \$2.69

## MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Men's Winter-weight Cotton Ribbed Underwear Shirts and Drawers, in pink, light blue, red, tan and cream—a splendid half-dollar garment. See window. Sale Price 39c

Men's Natural Wool Underwear—Shirts and Drawers—finest seams—pearl buttons—our dollar garment. See window. Sale Price 57c

ROOT'S MAKE—You certainly have heard of "Root's Tonic" Underwear for men? Natural undyed wool—grays are retailed all over the U. S. at \$1.75 the garment. We have what the mills call "Seconds"—slight imperfections in the weave does not affect the wear of the garment. See window. Sale Price 88c

## SOX

Men's Natural and Vicuna Wool Sox—the kind shows by men's furnishers at a quarter. See window. Sale Price 19c

## GOLF SUITING

28-inch goods—gray, brown, tan and black, plaid backs, just the thing for the seasonable "Rainy Day Skirt," worth \$2.00 and \$2.50 per yd. See Window. Sale Price 1.48

All-Wool "Clay Worsted" Serge—32 inches wide—black only—the price is \$1 per yd. Sale Price 72c

## SILKS

Silk Department will offer you four of the most reasonable and stylish lines of their fall stock:

SILK POPLIN—One of the most desirable weaves imported this fall, all colors and black—value \$1.25 per yard. Sale Price 79c

PLISSE EFFECT—A fall novelty imported to sell at \$1.00—black, gray, beige and o. d. rose. Sale Price 54c

TAFFETA SILKS—Black and colors—two widths—19 and 24 inches—usual price 1.75. Sale Price 48c

VELVETS—Silk Velvets—18 inches wide—full line of colors and black—a good \$1.25 velvet. Sale Price 83c

## ART GOODS

Our Art Department will assist in making our Anniversary Sale the talk of the town. The newest of our new goods is the Swiss line—Scarfs, Sets and Shams—button-holed and hemmed, ruffled all around, and lined with bright colored French satens.

SCARFS, 16x36—usual half dollar. Sale Price 37 1/2c

SCARFS, 16x45—usual sixty five. Sale Price 48c

SCARFS, 20x37—usual seventy-five. Sale Price 58c

TOILET SETS, 2 pieces—usual seventy-five. Sale Price 58c

SHAMS, 32x32—usual one twenty-five a pair. Sale Price 98c a pair

SHAMS, 32x32—usual one seventy-five a pair. Sale Price 1.19 a pair

## RIBBONS

Just in time for this Annual Sale—Silk Plaid Ribbons for neck or hair, 1 1/2 in. wide, a dozen different combinations. Sale Price 4 1/2c a d

1260 yards all-silk FANCY RIBBONS, 3 to 3 1/2 inches wide, dainty combinations, corded and hemstitched effects—none worth less than a quarter. Sale Price 14c

VELVET RIBBON, then back, by the piece—to yards to a piece—first quality. Sale Price 72c a yd

No. 1.....30c a pc.....24c  
No. 1 1/2.....35c a pc.....28c  
No. 1 1/4.....40c a pc.....31c  
No. 1 1/2.....45c a pc.....34c  
No. 1 3/4.....50c a pc.....38c  
No. 2.....55c a pc.....41c  
No. 2 1/2.....60c a pc.....44c  
No. 3.....65c a pc.....47c  
No. 3 1/2.....70c a pc.....50c  
No. 4.....75c a pc.....53c  
No. 5.....80c a pc.....56c  
No. 5 1/2.....85c a pc.....59c  
No. 6.....90c a pc.....62c

The new COMBINATION STOCK AND TIE, known as the SAPPHO TIES, tucked and hemstitched—all the leading colors—all over price half dollar. Sale Price 33c

## CORSETS

A year ago we began calling your attention to the best Corsets in the market—the celebrated P. N. The Success of this department is a proof that the Corsets all we claim for it. Out of our complete line we have chosen for Anniversary Week.

No. 496—A short 4-book Corset, Black only—our pride at \$1.25. See window. Sale Price 89c

No. 110—A medium 5-book Corset—black and gray, with patent extra side steels—another of our usual \$1.25. See window. Sale Price 89c

## THIS BIRTHDAY SALE

of ours will be of much benefit to our customers. Every day you will find additional bargain offerings, new seasonable merchandise, goods that you require daily. New fall and winter articles at such prices that if you are not already one of the army of purchasers who through this store daily, you will at once see the benefit of joining the ranks.

IT'S EVERYBODY'S VERDICT—IT PAYS TO TRADE AT KAHN'S

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## More about Kellershirts

Ever have your collar try to straddle your collar band?

And get a piece of your neck mixed up in the trouble?

Can't happen with Kellershirts—Collar band is cut high on the sides and low in the front.

Half the wearers of Kellershirts demand them for this one reason.

Made to order

\$1.50

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Oakland Cal.

## ENGINE HOUSES FOR ANNEXED DISTRICT.

Report Presented at the Meeting of the Board of Works This Morning.

At the meeting of the Police and Fire Commissioners this morning the report of the Commissioner of the Board of Works on the selection of engine house sites in Alameda and Golden Gate districts was submitted as follows:

"Your Committee has investigated the property submitted to it for the engine sites, and recommends the following locations:

"W. C. Moran's, on Klunker avenue or Fifty-ninth street, 50 feet east of San Pablo avenue. In Golden Gate; lot 55 x 100 for the sum of \$700; or, will lease the same for two years for a monthly rental of \$10, with the privilege of purchasing at any time within two years, at above price.

"J. O'Rourke offers lots Nos. 5 and 6 in Alameda, on the north side of Vernon street, 144 feet East of Telegraph avenue; lot 50 feet front by 125 feet in depth west line, and 100 feet east line for \$600, or will lease for a term of two years at a monthly rental of \$10 with the privilege of purchasing at any time within two years, at above price.

This report is in pursuance to the Council resolution authorizing the Board to report on suitable sites. The report was received and referred to the Board of Public Works.

The charges against Policeman Hill preferred by Edward Thuringer which had been referred to the Chief of Police were returned by him to the Board without a report. On motion of Commissioner Clement the charges were again referred to the Chief with instructions to make a report.

Mrs. Lena Rice having a void her connection with the Associated Charities asked to be allowed to retain her position as matron of the City Prison without pay. Her petition was laid over.

**TWO SMALL FIRES SOON EXTINGUISHED.**  
The alarm of fire from box 57 at 10 o'clock last night called the department to Twenty-ninth and Linden streets, where a blaze, origin unknown, had started under the back porch of a cottage occupied by Mr. Morganstein. The loss was about \$40.

At 2 o'clock this morning the telephone in the house of Henry Rivers on Telegraph avenue between Eighteenth and Nineteenth burned out, presumably from a crossing of the wires. A dense smoke was created and an alarm was turned in. The loss was only nominal.

**WIDOWS ARE STILL AFTER THE MONEY.**  
The list of Eastern widows who have got a name into the proceedings of the Keating will is growing rapidly. Judge Greene received a bunch of letters on the subject this morning, one of them from Michigan John Crocker, clerk of the probate department of the Superior Court, received an application this morning from H. H. Schaefer, of Baltimore, Maryland, for the \$50,000 bond in suit against the estate of John Crocker, who died in 1898. He left a wife and three sons—Fred J. L. M. and Charles Williamson. The funeral will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from the family residence. The interment will be in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

**NEARLY KILLED BY A SAN PABLO CAR.**  
C. J. Williamson was knocked down by a San Pablo car last night and sustained a severe fracture of the skull. He appeared to be in a great hurry and tried to run across Thirty-fourth street in front of a rapidly moving car, but fell. He is a plumber and lives at 524 Twenty-fourth street.

**FIFTH WARD REPUBLICAN CLUB MEETING.**  
The Fifth Ward Republican Club will hold a meeting at 8 o'clock, evening at Grand Army Hall, 413 Thirtieth street, at which all the local Republican candidates will speak.

**Licensed to Marry.**  
Victor Y. Nielsen, Alameda..... 25  
Rose A. Canavan, Stockton..... 25  
William J. Martin, Pleasanton..... 20  
Madge Lyster, Pleasanton..... 20  
Henry Johnson, Half Moon Bay..... 25  
Belle Phelps, San Jose..... 25

**Mendenhall Will Speak.**  
Attorney Asa V. Mendenhall will speak at the Republican meeting at Danville tomorrow night.

**Berkeley, Oct. 31.**—Thomas Williamson, a resident of this place for the last ten years, died early yesterday at his home, 311 Harte street. The deceased was a native of England, 59 years of age. He leaves a wife and three sons—Fred J. L. M. and Charles Williamson.

The funeral will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from the family residence. The interment will be in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

**Looking Forward.**  
First Tramp—Do you think de shirt waist has come ter stay?  
Second Tramp—Sure! We'll be wearin' dem ourselves nex' summer.—Puck.

## CHANGES TO BE MADE IN SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

Some New Deals May Be Expected When President Hays Takes Charge.

A dispatch from New York says:

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The Mail and Express says today: The appointment of Charles M. Hays to be president of the Southern Pacific Company will mark the beginning of many important changes in the Western railroad system, as well as in the management of the Southern Pacific itself. In the first place, Mr. Huntington's aggressive and independent policy with reference to competitors will give way to a more friendly spirit, and it can be said that early steps will be taken to renew the old traffic alliance on a basis closely resembling a pool.

Mr. Hays, while with the Grand Trunk Railway, pursued a policy that was calculated to make friends with Western railroads, and his intimate knowledge of the Grand Trunk's rival, the Canadian Pacific, will enable him to protect the Southern Pacific's through traffic to the Pacific Coast without irritating all the other transcontinental lines, as Mr. Huntington sometimes did.

So far as the Pacific Mail Steamship Company is concerned, it is now considered likely that it may be controlled in the joint interest of several of the big Western railroads, and that it will no longer be used as a whip-handle by the Southern Pacific. Such a joint control would make for the improvement of the business of all the railroads and all would be great winners.

It is said that Mr. Hays has been given to understand that closer alliances between the Western roads are contemplated, and he will manage the Southern Pacific along these lines.

In regard to the Southern Pacific itself, Mr. Hays will pursue much the same policy that he has on the Grand Trunk and Wabash. His constant aim has been to cut down operating expenses without injuring the road. A friendly policy toward the Atchafalpa will be pursued, and it is expected that there will be some understanding between the two companies as to new construction wherever their territory overlaps, just as in the case of the New York Central and Pennsylvania roads.

There was active buying of Southern Pacific Railroad stock on the New York Stock Exchange today. About 30,000 shares changed hands, and gossip of "the street" credited the Vanderbilt interests again with buying.

No action has yet been taken by the Southern Pacific directors with regard to a dividend, and the men who control the road say there is no prospect of any change in the majority holdings of the stock. The officers of the company say that the road will earn about 5 per cent on its \$200,000,000 stock this year.

## BRYAN IS NOW IN BUCKEYE STATE.

Tells the Ohioans That the Full Dinner Pail is All a Myth.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Lensed Wire  
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Oct. 31.—Mr. Bryan arrived here this morning from Dunkirk, N. Y. They were met at the station by Mayor and Mrs. Jones. Mrs. Bryan was accorded a brief reception at the Mayor's residence. Mr. Bryan spoke for an hour in Armour Park, leaving immediately afterward on his day's tour of the State.

Mr. Bryan was introduced by Mayor Jones, and he said that he was pleased to be presented by a man to whom duty was a higher consideration than any party. Taking up the question of non-partisanship, Mr. Bryan said that not only were former Republicans coming over, but the Gold Democrats were coming back. This, he said, was the natural result of political conditions and of the Republican party's persistence in regard of the rights of the people at large.

Mr. Bryan gave considerable time to the plea of prosperity, saying: "The Republican party has failed in this campaign and I am going to show you that one proposition after another put forth by the Republicans has failed to meet with a response from the people. When this campaign opened up, the one cry was that the country was prosperous, that the Republican party had made it so, and to keep it so the Republic in party must be kept in power. That was the only plea and to represent that they had a full dinner pail painted on their banners. The full dinner pail! If they wanted to paint that full dinner pail on their banners they would paint on their banners the worst battered, the most beaten and the most shot-full-of-holes dinner pail that ever was seen."

"I tell you why the dinner pail argument failed. First, because not every laboring man has a full dinner pail. They went on the theory that every laboring man had a full dinner pail but the anthracite coal strikers opened the eyes of a great many people to the fact that that Republican argument, for down there in the anthracite coal regions the strike showed that the men did not get half as much as they ought to and paid twice as much for powder as they should. I would be willing to let this campaign be decided on the full dinner pail argument, and I would ask the laboring men who vote yes or no on this proposition, are you satisfied with the present conditions and do you want them kept as they are? I would be perfectly willing to let the laboring men vote on that proposition, but before they vote I want them to go to the sweat shops and ask themselves whether that is poverty and whether they want it continued just as it is. It is not true that the laboring men of this country are receiving their fair share of the wealth that they produce. That is one reason why the full dinner pail argument fails."

**CLAIMS HE ACTED IN SELF-DEFENSE.**  
The prosecution closed its case this afternoon against William Miller, charged with the murder of McFarland, the hop-picker, at Pleasanton. The defense will offer but few witnesses. The theory is that Miller acted in self-defense and that will be the contention of his attorneys.

The case will probably go to the jury tomorrow.

**In the Far North.**  
With a bright smile the beautiful Eskimo girl left us to join the merry throng in the ballroom.  
"Your daughter is a gay butterfly!" I exclaimed, desiring to be very complimentary.  
"For my part, I don't think much of the social life," replied the mother, with sudden vehemence. The idea of dancing all night till away along in March, and then lying in bed next day until August 1, or such a matter!"

It was on my tongue to say that these young people had so much latitude, but I checked myself.—Detroit Journal.

**His Good Luck.**  
Yorkshire—Old Hen Peck is the hapless man in town.  
Towson—Why has his wife left him?  
Yorkshire—No. But her shirtwaists are too small for him, and he doesn't have to wear the old ones.—Baltimore American.

**Supplanted.**  
Sillius—What has become of Volapuk, that was destined to become the universal language?  
Cynicus—Oh, everybody talks goll nowdays.—Philadelphia Record.

**Looking Forward.**  
First Tramp—Do you think de shirt waist has come ter stay?  
Second Tramp—Sure! We'll be wearin' dem ourselves nex' summer.—Puck.

## BOARD OF WORKS PLAN FOR BUILDINGS.

Annexed District Will Soon Be Able to Have Fire Engines.

The report of the special committee consisting of Fire Commissioner Clement and Fire Chief Ball on engine house sites came before the Board of Works this morning and the following resolution was introduced by Mayor Snow and adopted:

"Resolved, That the Secretary be requested to draw agreements with the owners of the two lots reported by the Special Committee of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, as desirable for engine house sites, viz:

"Mr. W. C. Moran's lot on Klunker avenue or Fifty-ninth street, 50 feet east of San Pablo avenue, in Golden Gate; lot 55 x 100 feet; and  
"Mr. J. O'Rourke's lots, Nos. 5 and 6, in Alameda, on the north side of Vernon street, 144 feet East of Telegraph avenue; lot 50 feet front by 125 feet in depth on west line, and 100 feet on east line, to rent the same for \$10 per month each; secure the signatures of the said owners and present the agreements to this Board at its next meeting."

F. D. Voorhies, the architect, was appointed to draw plans and specifications for the engine houses in the Alameda and Golden Gate districts and to supervise the construction of the same. He is to keep inside the appropriation of \$1200 for each of the two houses.

The Oakland Poultry Association was granted permission to suspend a bait net at Twelfth and Broadway from November 1 to December 10th advertising the Association's exhibition. Street Superintendent Ott reported having collected \$110 for the use of the steam roller.

The steam roller owned by the city was rented to the Ransome Concrete Company for ten days at a rental of \$10 per day.

**SEARCHING RUINS.**  
Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Lensed Wire  
NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The work of searching the ruins of the workings which were wrecked by the explosion in Tarrant & Co.'s drug house on Monday was prosecuted steadily all night. The force at work today numbered 500 men. At 4 o'clock a fresh outbreak of fire occurred at Warren and Greenwich streets, stopping for some time the work of clearing away the debris.

Superintendent of Buildings Donnan said the walls of the building at 52 Washington street will be razed today. James Ludlow, 15 years old, I. C. Burns, an egg dealer, and William Halsey, employed by Mr. Burns who were reported missing, were found today.

**THE MONROE DOCTRINE.**  
Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Lensed Wire  
BERLIN, October 31.—The Cologne Gazette, confirming the dispatch of the Associated Press, of October 2, denies the stories of Germany's contemplated lease of the island of Margarita, and adds: "Germany does not covet any acquisition in the vicinity of the American Continent."

**ABSOLUTE SECURITY.**  
Genuine  
Carter's Little Liver Pills.

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Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

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FOR HEADACHE.  
FOR DIZZINESS.  
FOR BILIOUSNESS.  
FOR TORPID LIVER.  
FOR CONSTIPATION.  
FOR SALLLOW SKIN.  
FOR THE COMPLEXION.

At the NEW STORE with all NEW GOODS.

**WISHART'S CUT RATE DRUG STORE**  
Cor. Tenth and Washington Sts.  
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**CURE SICK HEADACHE.**

# LOOK IN.. UPON US

For the past few days we have advised you to look out for us—now we invite you to "Look in Upon Us." We are ready for you, and that rush of NOVEMBER BUSINESS which we have promised ourselves—we are going to get it too—we are going to have a rush of business and all on account of the great values we shall offer you—windows full of them—store full too—going to move soon—had a lot of Men's Suits ordered for the new store—shippers made a mistake and SENT THEM TOO SOON.

**They Hit the Sidewalk Last Night**  
We could not send them to storage at that late hour; so we have decided to sell the entire lot.—Here goes—look out—LISTEN.

## 285 MEN'S SACK SUITS

ALL SIZES—a half dozen choice patterns in Scotch effects and all-wool Cassimeres, every suit worth up to \$12.50 each—they are ready for you—out they go—and the price, only

\$7.85

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\$7.85

There's a buzz saw at work in this store—and it's working, too—don't fool with it, for when it gets to moving there's no stopping it—It started in on Sweaters this morning—MEN'S ALL-WOOL SWEATERS—all sizes—sold by us at \$1.00 and \$1.25. Here they go, only

55c.

55c.

55c.

Another lot of Men's Silk Front Golf Shirts—all sizes—we closed out 25 dozen from a prominent maker, worth \$1.00 each, only

55c.

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WE ARE THE PEOPLE WHO ARE MAKING HISTORY AND ARE GOING TO MOVE

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The Moving Clothier, Now Selling Out the Broadway Store, Soon to Move to WASHINGTON STREET, Just Above 12th, or opposite Kahn Bros., the Always Busy Store.

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	Bid.	Asked.
Gwin	100	100
Onida	100	100
Sundum	100	100
Lincoln	100	100
Golovin Bay	100	100
Garibaldi	100	100
Nome-Arizona	100	100
Pedro	100	100
Kirkwood	100	100
Badger	100	100
Missouri Mining Co.	100	100
Zealand	100	100
Central Europe	100	100
South Burma	100	100
Argonaut	100	100
Century, Kern River Dist.	40	40
Penn. Kern River Dist.	40	40
Trojan	40	40
Kings Co. Oil Co.	100	100
Ranchero Oil Co.	100	100
Panchoito Oil Co.	100	100
Little Standard Oil Co.	100	100
Diamond Oil Co.	100	100
U. S. Oil and Mining Co.	100	100
Monarch of Arizona	100	100
Equitable Gas Co. (pool)	100	100
Long Star	100	100
Three States	100	100
Jewett, Blodgett & Heals.	100	100
Meridian Oil Co.	100	100
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Argonaut (Calaveras Co.) 100

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Argonaut (Tuolumne Co.) 100

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## DEMOCRATS WIN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Lensed Wire.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 31.—In the Court of Appeals today the judgment of the lower court in the contest over the minor State offices was affirmed, thus establishing the title of the Democratic incumbents of those offices. The three Republican judges dissented. This case applied to all the State offices except Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, the contests over which were settled by the Legislature.

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